

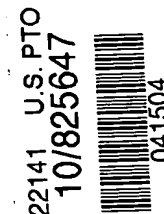


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**PATENT**

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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER  
AND FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM (37 CFR § 1.53(b))**



Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR § 1.53(b) is:

- ☐ a patent application  
☐ a Continuation ☒ a Divisional ☐ a Continuation-in-Part (CIP) Application of prior application no.: 10/200,244, filed July 22, 2002, which is a CIP of Application Serial No. 10/057,821, filed January 25, 2002, the disclosures of which are hereby incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.  
☒ and which claims the benefit of Provisional Application Nos. 60/352,941, filed January 30, 2002; 60/307,311, filed July 23, 2001 and 60/307,234, filed July 23, 2001, the disclosures of which are hereby incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.

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Entitled: **METHODS OF FABRICATING LIGHT EMITTING DEVICES USING MESA REGIONS AND PASSIVATION LAYERS**

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Enclosed are:

1. ☒ Application Transmittal Letter and Fee Transmittal Form (*A duplicate is enclosed for fee processing*)
2. ☒ 23 pages of Specification (including 20 claims)
3. ☒ 6 sheets of Formal Drawings (35 USC 113)
4. ☒ Oath or Declaration
  - a. ☐ newly executed (*original or copy*)
  - b. ☒ copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d) (*for continuation/divisional*) [Note Box 6 Below])
  - c. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) (*Signed statement deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application*)
5. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76
6. ☒ Incorporation By Reference (*useable if box 4b is checked*)

The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

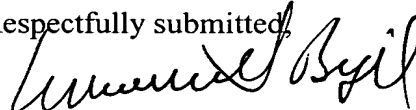
7. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (*Appendix*)  
8. ☐ Assignment papers (*cover sheet(s) and document(s)*)  
9. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR § 1.27.  
10. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449  
11. ☐ Preliminary Amendment (***Please enter all claim amendments prior to calculating the filing fee.***)  
12. ☐ English Translation Document  
13. ☐ Certified Copy of Application No. ; Filed  
14. ☐ Sequence Listing/ Sequence Listing Diskette  
a. ☐ computer readable copy  
b. ☐ paper copy  
c. ☐ statement in support  
15. ☐ An Associate Power of Attorney  
16. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (*Should be specifically itemized*)  
17. ☐ Deletion of Inventor(s) (Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) name in the prior application. See 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).)  
18. ☐ Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form.  
19. ☒ Other: **Remarks Accompanying Divisional Application**

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Respectfully submitted,



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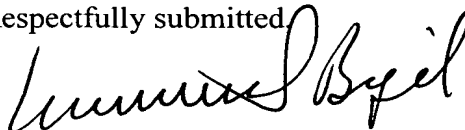
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**REMARKS ACCOMPANYING DIVISIONAL APPLICATION**

Sir:

The present divisional application is being filed for non-elected Claims 59-78 from parent Application Serial No. 10/200,244, which has now been allowed. Claims 59-78 of the parent application have been renumbered herein as Claims 1-20. The title has been changed to reflect the new claim scope. A cross-reference to the parent application also has been added. Favorable examination and allowance of the present application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted



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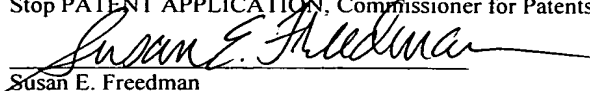
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